Controller of the Press and Stationery.

92. * **MR. K. T. THOMAS**: Will the Government be pleased to state the cause for the delay in making the appointment of the Controller of the Press and Stationery?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: No suitable men have been so far available.

MR. K. T. THOMAS: May I know from the honourable member whether the Government advertised for applications for this post?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: Yes, Sir.

MR. K. T. THOMAS: May I know from the honourable member whether there was not even one applicant who was fit for that place?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: A number of them applied and a few of them were interviewed and Government found that none of them had the qualifications to be appointed as Controller of Stationery and Printing.

MR. K. T. THOMAS: May I know from the honourable member whether any one in service applied for that place?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLIA: Yes, Sir.

MR. K. T. MHOMAS: May I know from the honourable member whether he was found unfit for that place?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: He has not been appointed to that place.

MR. K. T. THOMAS: May I know from the honourable member for how many years this post has been provided for in the budget?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: Two or three years, I think.

MR. K. T. THOMAS: May I know from the honourable member why this appointment has been held in abeyance.

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: The answer is there, Sir.

MR. A. THANU PILLAI (*Trivandrum-Town*): May I know from the honourable member what qualifications are required on the part of the person who will be considered fit for the post?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: Training in printing and also experience in stationery matters. He is to be the Controller of Stationery and Printing.

MR. A. THANU PILLAI: May I know what the Chief Secretary means when he says "experience of stationery matters?"

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: Since he has to deal with the purchase and distribution of stationery he must know the quality of paper and must be able to compare prices with reference to quality. Only one who has had experience in such matters can be placed in charge of that department.

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MR. A. THANU PILLAI: Am I to understand that there is at present none in service who has sufficient experience in these stationery matters and also in matters relating to printing?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: Sir, I have already stated that on account of the want of a man with the required qualifications the appointment has not been made.

Jurisdiction of Conciliation Boards.

93. * **MR. S. NARAYANA PILLAI** (*Quilon cum Kottarakara*): Will the Government be pleased to state the principle underlying the choice of certain pakuthies over which the Conciliation Boards are to have jurisdiction?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: No special principle was adopted.

MR. KANNARA GOPALA PANIKKAR: ആലപ്പുഴയുള്ള കൺസിലിയേഷൻ ബോർഡിന്റെ പരിധിയിൽ ഏതെല്ലാം പകുതികളാ ഉൾപ്പെടുത്തിയിട്ടുണ്ട്?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATHA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: ഇപ്പോൾ ചിലപകുതികളെ ഉൾപ്പെടുത്തിയിട്ടുള്ളൂ. എന്നാൽ ഫ ഫ മെടവ ചിങ്ങം മുതൽ അമ്പലപ്പുഴ താലൂക്കിലുള്ള മുഴുവൻ പകുതികളും അവിടത്തെ കൺസിലിയേഷൻ ബോർഡിന്റെ കീഴിലാക്കുന്നതിനു തീർച്ചപ്പെടുത്തിയിട്ടുണ്ട്.

MR. KANNARA GOPALA PANIKKAR: ആലപ്പുഴ കൺസിലിയേഷൻ ബോർഡിന്റെ ചിക്കുനിയറിജൂറിസ് ഡിക്ഷൻ എത്രയാണ്?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATHA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: ൫,൦൦൦ രൂപാ.

MR. KANNARA GOPALA PANIKKAR: കട്ടനാട്ടിലുള്ള പകുതികളെക്കൂടി ചേർക്കണമെന്നു വല്ല റെപ്രസന്റേഷനും കിട്ടിയിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATHA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: റെപ്രസന്റേഷൻ കിട്ടിയിട്ടുണ്ട്. അതനുസരിച്ചാണു ക്രൂതൽ പകുതികൾ ആലപ്പുഴ കൺസിലിയേഷൻ ബോർഡിനു കൊടുക്കുന്നതിനു തീർച്ചപ്പെടുത്തിയതു്.

MR. M. KESAVA PANIKKAR (*Neyyattinkara cum Trivandrum*): May I know whether the Government have any idea of having any Conciliation Boards for any other taluk?

RAO BAHADUR RAJYASEVANIRATA DR. N. KUNJAN PILLAI: The Government have appointed six or seven Conciliation Boards and they want to watch the work done by them for some time before they decide whether more boards should be appointed.

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